

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2232**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member La Suer**

February 22, 2006

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An act relating to sex offenders.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

AB 2232, as introduced, La Suer. Sex offenders.

Existing law provides for the punishment of convicted sex offenders.

This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact the Sexual Predator Elimination Act, which would prohibit a prosecutor who charges a person with certain sexual battery violations from presenting or entering into certain plea bargains, provide that sexual predators who commit a sexual battery against certain victims shall be sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole, increase the mandatory minimum sentence applicable to dangerous sexual felony offenders, provide for local ordinances relating to the residence of persons subject to registration as sexual offenders or designated as sexual predators, revise provisions relating to background screening requirements for certain noninstructional school district employees and contractors, provide for creation of the Statewide Background Screening Clearinghouse for background screening results for contractors, and increase certain criminal penalties.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1     SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact the  
2 Sexual Predator Elimination Act, which would do all of the  
3 following:
- 4     (a) Prohibit a prosecutor who charges a person with certain  
5 sexual battery violations from presenting or entering into certain  
6 plea bargains.
- 7     (b) Provide that sexual predators who commit a sexual battery  
8 against certain victims shall be sentenced to life in prison without  
9 the possibility of parole.
- 10    (c) Increase the mandatory minimum sentence applicable to  
11 dangerous sexual felony offenders.
- 12    (d) Provide for local ordinances relating to the residence of  
13 persons subject to registration as sexual offenders or designated  
14 as sexual predators.
- 15    (e) Revise provisions relating to background screening  
16 requirements for certain noninstructional school district  
17 employees and contractors.
- 18    (f) Provide for creation of the Statewide Background  
19 Screening Clearinghouse for background screening results for  
20 contractors.
- 21    (g) Provide for a statewide credential.
- 22    (h) Require certain persons to inform their employer or the  
23 party with whom they are under contract and the Department of  
24 Education of a charge of a disqualifying offense within a  
25 specified period.
- 26    (i) Increase criminal penalties.